IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

BARRET CHANDLER, ORDER STAYING CASE AND REFERRING

CASE TO PRISONER MEDIATION

Plaintiff, PROGRAM

 $\mathbf{v}$ 

HAROLD GRAHAM, et al.,

Case No.

9:16-CV-348 (DNH/ATB)

Defendants.

Plaintiff, **Barret Chandler**, has filed the above captioned pro se civil rights complaint pursuant to 42 USC § 1983. The purpose of the NYND Prisoner Mediation Program is to promote

the fair and speedy resolution of these matters. Pursuant to Local Rule 83.11-3, at any time after all

parties have been served, the assigned judge, in his or her discretion, may refer a case to the NYND

Prisoner Mediation Program by means of a written order that specifies the deadline by which the

mediation process must be completed. In the order, the judge may stay other activity in the case for

that period.

Therefore, with good cause appearing, the instant case is hereby referred to

Magistrate Judge Andrew T. Baxter for a mediation hearing to take place at the United States

District Court, or designated Facility, at a date to be determined, within 60 days of the date this

order is filed. Magistrate Judge Baxter shall coordinate a time and date for the mediation hearing

with all interested parties and/or their representatives. Upon the conclusion of the mediation

proceedings, the referral of this matter shall be concluded and the assigned Judge and Magistrate

Judge shall have jurisdiction as to all further matters in the action.

For the foregoing reasons and for good cause shown,

- 1. The case is hereby referred to the NYND Prisoner Mediation Program.
- 2. All pretrial deadlines are hereby STAYED, until further Order of the Court.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: October 31, 2017

United States District Judge